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LOK SABHA

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NEW TOWNSHIP AROUND MEGA CITIES
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether he Government has formulated a policy to create new towns around the mega cities to curb rising prices of real estate and easing burden of population on these cities;and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT(SHRI S.JAIPAL REDDY)

(a)&(b): No, Sir.However, such policy decision are taken by the State Governments, as urban local bodies are State subjects.